Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 19 Dec 2022 until 23:59 on Tuesday 20 Dec 2022

Forecast Issued on Monday 19 Dec 2022 at 03:07

Confidence: High becoming Medium in details from Thursday.

Headline for Monday 19 Dec 2022: Gales over the summits. Very wet and windy day. Much milder.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 19 Dec 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
Medium Likelihood

Gales
High Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
High Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability					
60%	40%	60%	60%	60%	70%

Forecast for Monday 19 Dec 2022

Weather: Overcast and wet with outbreaks of rain, heavy at times. Windy with severe gales, perhaps reaching storm force over the summits leading to significant buffeting.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: Nil to 20%

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud base 300m. Visibility poor, occasionally very poor at height. Moderate at times lower down.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	36/44 S	37/48 S	39/53 S	31/42 SW	21/29 SW	16/22 SW	14/20 SW
300	20/41 SW	22/45 S	24/48 S	18/36 SW	10/23 SW	7/18 SW	6/16 SW
Valley	17/39 SW	18/43 S	20/45 S	14/33 SW	8/20 SW	6/17 SW	6/16 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/6	10/5	10/5	9/4	7/3	7/3	6/2
300	12/8	12/8	12/8	11/7	9/7	8/6	8/6
Valley	13/10	13/10	12/9	11/9	10/8	9/7	8/7
Freezing Level*	2300m	2000m	2400m	2200m	2200m	2200m	2100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Navigational difficulties expected at height due to low cloud.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Mon 19 Dec 2022	26.6mm	29.4mm	29.6mm

Forecast for Tuesday 20 Dec 2022

Weather: A wet start to Monday night with overcast skies. Turning drier by morning with some clear spells. Tuesday should see bright or clear spells and a scattering of showers.

Maximum wind: Southwest 25 to 30mph gusting 40mph with a significant wind chill.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 70%

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional or extensive cloud, mainly above the summits, but lowering onto the summits in and around showers. Visibility very good falling moderate or poor in any showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 to 9 Celsius
At 600m: Plus 6 becoming 2 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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